Leave was granted to the Committee on Roads and Highways to report a bill to add an additional section to Article 28, of the Code of Public General Laws, title, "County Commissioners," sub-title, "Public Roads."

On motion of Mr. Cooper,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Inspections to introduce a bill for the appointment of an Inspector and Weigher of baled hay, straw and husks for the City of Baltimore.

Mr. Martin submitted the following message:

By THE House of Delegates, March 10, 1870.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

We have received your message proposing the appointment of a Joint Special Committee of two on the part of the Senate and three on the part of the House, to examine into the condition of the Land Office, and report what legislation, if any, may be necessary in connection therewith, and concur therein.

We have appointed on the part of the House of Delegates, Messrs. Martin, Ritter and Standish.

By order,

MILTON Y. KIDD, Chief Clerk.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Mitchell, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the House bill entitled an Act to amend the tenth Article of the Code of Public Local Laws of Dorchester county, by adding thereto the following additional sections, relating to the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace for said county, reported favorably thereon.

Mr. Mitchell, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary, reported favorably, without amendments,

The Senate bill entitled an Act to amend Article 16, of the Code of Public General Laws, by adding thereto the following sections relating to Trustees appointed by wills or by a decree of a Court of Equity, to fill a vacancy in the office of Trustee in any trust relating to real or personal estate or leasehold property created by will

Also, reported favorably,

A bill entitled an Act to amend the Code of Public General Laws by adding an additional section under the title of Publication of Laws, prescribing at whose cost, in what manner and to whom the publication of certain Acts of Assembly shall be certified.